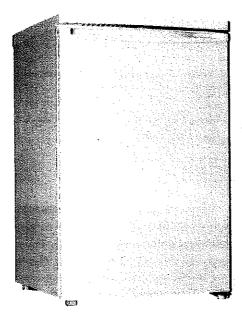


# **Installation and Operating Instructions**

### MODELS: RZ552C & RZ552SIL

# 55cm White or Silver UNDER COUNTER FREEZER



(White model shown)

Please read these instructions carefully before attempting to install or use this appliance. It is advisable to keep these instructions in a safe place for future reference.

# Introduction

Thank you for choosing this ICEKING appliance. It has been designed to give years of trouble-free use provided it is installed and maintained correctly.

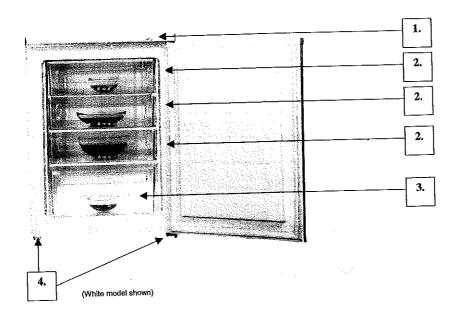
Please read these instructions carefully before installing or using your appliance. It is advisable to keep your purchase and installation receipts with these instructions in a safe place for future reference. Included is some important safety information in addition to guidelines and recommendations that will enable you to take full advantage of all the functions available.

This quality appliance has been tested and certified to meet all applicable UK electrical and safety standards.

This appliance must be installed and connected in accordance with current regulations by a qualified electrician.

After unpacking the appliance ensure that there is no visible damage. If the appliance has been damaged during transit, do not use it, contact your retailer immediately.

# **Description of the Appliance**



- 1. Adjustable Thermostat
- 2. Large Storage Drawers
- 3. Small Storage Drawer
- 4. Levelling Feet

Please note that your appliance may be supplied with the door left or right hand hinged. To reverse the door please refer to section 4.5.

(Picture shown for indicative purposes only, model supplied may differ).

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### Section 1. Installation

- IMPORTANT! This appliance must be left to stand in an upright position for at least 4 hours before being switched on for the first time.
- Remove all packaging and securing tape from the appliance.
- Wash the interior of the appliance with luke warm water containing a small amount of bicarbonate soda (5ml to 0.5 litres of water).
- Position the appliance in a dry atmosphere and out of direct sunlight.
- Do not position next to a cooker or other sources of heat, i.e. radiator.
- If positioned next to another fridge or freezer, leave a minimum gap of 2cm between the appliances in order to avoid condensation.
- A clearance of 50mm should be left above the appliance. If this cannot be achieved you should ensure a clearance of 25mm is maintained on each side of the appliance.
- Please ensure that there is a small 'air-gap' between the condenser on the rear of the appliance and the rear wall.
- Do not place or store heavy items on the top of this appliance.
- Ensure that the appliance is positioned on a firm flat floor.
- This appliance must be level. Adjust the level by screwing the adjustable feet up or down (use your fingers or a suitable spanner).
- Ensure that the appliance is upright and both feet are in firm contact with the floor so that the cabinet is stable.
- Connect the plug to an adjacent 13amp socket outlet and ensure that the appliance is not standing on the supply cable.

### Section 2. Safety Advice

- Please read this booklet thoroughly before installing and switching on the appliance. The manufacturer accepts no responsibility for incorrect installation and usage.
- If this appliance is to replace an old refrigerator with a lock, as a safety measure break or remove the lock and/or door before disposal.
- Your old appliances contain insulation gases and refrigerant that must be disposed of correctly. Please ensure that the refrigerant circuit is not damaged before the appliance is taken away for correct disposal in line with current legislation. If there is any doubt contact your Local Authority for instructions.

- This appliance may contain the refrigerant isobutene (R600a). This is a natural gas with a high level of environmental compatibility; however, caution is required as isobutene is a flammable gas. It is essential to ensure that refrigerant tubes are not damaged during transportation and the installation of the appliance. In the event that the refrigerant circuit is damaged, avoid naked flames or sources of ignition and ventilate the room in which the appliance is situated.
- Do not damage the refrigerant circuit.
- Do not allow children to play with the appliance. Children must never play in or around the appliance.
- If using an adaptor, this must be used in accordance with the manufacturers instructions and ensure that the electrical circuit is not overloaded as this could cause overheating.
- Do not twist or bend the cables, and keep them away from hot surfaces.
- Do not plug in or unplug this appliance with wet hands.
- Following installation make sure that the power cable is not trapped underneath the appliance.

### Section 3. Operating the Appliance

#### 3.1. Switching on the Appliance

- Allow the appliance to stand for a minimum of 4 hours after installation.
- Plug in the appliance and switch on at the mains supply.
- Set the thermostat control to the required setting as detailed in the Temperature Control section (3.2.).
- Leave the appliance for approximately 4 hours for the correct temperature to be reached.

#### 3.2. Temperature Control

The temperature selector knob is located just above the door on the front of the appliance (See 'Description of the Appliance' on page 2). Set the thermostat as follows:

- Setting "Min": Warmest Temperature
- Setting "Mid": Normal Operation (adequate for most situations)
- Setting "Max": Coldest Temperature

#### Important!

During high ambient temperatures e.g. on hot summer days, it may be necessary to set the thermostat to the coldest setting (Max). This may cause the compressor to run continuously in order to maintain a low temperature in the cabinet.

#### 3.3. Storing & Freezing Food in the Freezer

This appliance is a four star freezer and is suitable for the long-term storage of frozen food items. It can also be used for freezing and storing fresh food items.

You should always follow the storage guidelines printed on each food producers packaging, however the following information is provided as a general guide for the maximum storage life of frozen items:

- Fresh Meat and Poultry up to 12 months
- Cooker Meats up to 2 months
- Fresh Fish up to 6 months
- Fruit and Vegetables up to 12 months
- Bread and Cakes up to 6 months

### 3.4. Normal Operating Sounds

You may hear faint gurgling or bubbling sounds when the refrigerant is pumped to the cooling system and through the coils or tubing at the rear of the appliance. When the compressor is in operation you may hear a slight whirring sound or pulsating noise. The thermostat controls the operation of the compressor, and you may hear a slight click as it cycles in and out.

#### 3.5. Energy Saving Advice

Do not install the appliance close to sources of heat, such as a cooker, dishwasher or radiator. Locate the appliance in a cool well-ventilated room and make sure that the air vents are clear

Try to avoid keeping the door open for long time, warm air will enter the cabinet, and may cause a build up of ice as well as affecting the energy consumption. Ensure there are no obstructions preventing the door from closing properly

#### 3.6. In the Event of a Power Failure

If there is a power failure, keep the door closed. When the power has been restored the appliance will start to operate but it may take some time to achieve the pre-set operating temperature. Check the condition of your stored food items and liquids.

### Section 4. Maintenance

Before any maintenance or cleaning work is carried out, <u>DISCONNECT</u> the appliance from the ELECTRICITY supply.

#### 4.1. Internal Cleaning

Clean the interior and accessories with warm water and bicarbonate of soda (5ml to 0.5 litre of water). Rinse and dry thoroughly. Do not use detergents, abrasive powders, highly perfumed cleaning products, wax polishes or cleaning products containing bleach or alcohol.

#### 4.2. External Cleaning

Wash the outer cabinet with warm soapy water. Do NOT use abrasive products. There may be sharp edges on the underside of the product, so care should be taken when cleaning. Once or twice a year dust the rear of the appliance and the compressor at the back of the appliance, with a brush or vacuum cleaner, as an accumulation of dust will affect the performance of the appliance and cause increased energy consumption.

#### 4.3. Defrosting

It is advisable to carry out de-frosting when your frozen food stocks are minimal. Any frozen food that you do have inside the appliance should be wrapped in thick newspaper or stored in a cool bag whilst carrying out the defrost operation.

If ice build up in the appliance exceeds 3-5mm, empty the contents and switch off the appliance, leave the door open and allow the ice to melt. **Do not use sharp objects to scrape the ice away.** Clean and dry the interior, close the door and turn on the power to the appliance. When the power has been restored the appliance will start to operate but it may take some time to achieve the pre-set operating temperature.

#### 4.4. When the appliance is not in use

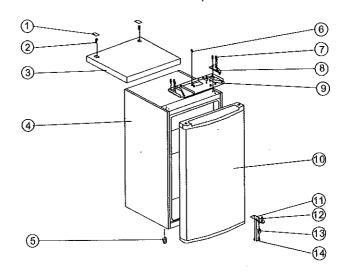
When the appliance is not in use for long periods, remove the contents, disconnect from the electricity supply and clean the appliance, leaving the door ajar until you wish to use the appliance again.

4.5. Reversing the Door

The door opening can be reversed from "right hand hinged" to "left hand hinged" if required. If your appliance is supplied "left hand hinged" simply reverse the following procedure.

Warning!

When reversing the door, the appliance must not be connected to the mains. Remove the plug from the mains beforehand.



- 1. Screw Cover 2. Screw 3. Top Cover 4. Appliance Cabinet 5. Adjustable Foot 6. Screw 7. Self Tapping Screw 8. Upper Hinge 9. Top Cover Support 10. Door 11. Lower Hinge 12. Hinge Pin 13. Adjustable Foot 14. Screw
  - Remove the screw covers & screws (1&2) that hold the top cover (3), then lift the top cover off the top cover support (9)
  - Remove the retaining screws (6&7) and the upper hinge (8)
  - Lift the door (10) off the lower hinge (11)
  - Remove the retaining screws (14) and the lower hinge (11)
  - Remove the hinge pin (12) and adjustable foot (13) from the lower hinge (11), turn the hinge over and refit the hinge pin and foot using the same holes
  - Remove the foot (5) from the left hand side and refit on the right hand side
  - Now fit the lower hinge (11) to the pre-drilled holes on the left hand side of the cabinet and tighten the screws
  - Locate the door (10) onto the lower hinge (11) and refit the upper hinge (8) and tighten the screws

- Ensure that the door closes and seals correctly. If the door does not seal correctly, loosen off all screws and adjust. When the door seals correctly re-tighten all screws
- Refit the top cover (3), screws (2) and screw covers (1)

### 4.6. What to do if something goes wrong

There is no power to the appliance:

- Check there is not a power cut
- Check there is power to the electric socket/appliance
- Check the fuse in the plug (Must be 13 amp)

## The compressor runs continuously:

- Is the door closed correctly?
- Have large quantities of food recently been added to the appliance? if yes, allow the interior temperature to recover
- Has the appliance door been opened frequently? if yes, allow the interior temperature to recover
- Is the t/stat control set to maximum? if yes, adjust the control to a lower setting

### There is excessive frost/ice build up:

- Ensure that the door has been closed correctly
- Ensure that the door seal is clean and sealing correctly

# The appliance is making a noise:

- Refer to Normal Operating Sounds, section 3.4.
- Ensure that the appliance has been installed correctly (see section 1).

If after the above checks there is still a fault please contact your retailer.

### Insurance

# Any warranty provided with this product does not cover loss of fridge/freezer content.

Any claim for loss, damage, costs or expenses of an indirect or consequential nature including any economic loss or damage to foodstuffs or any other goods is excluded. We recommend that you inspect your fridge/freezer regularly to check that it is working correctly, losses can result from deterioration following breakdown or accidental failure of the appliance, fuses, plugs or public electricity supply, these can be covered by your standard home insurance or might require extra cover. Check with your insurance provider.

### **Important Note:**

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This appliance is marked according to the European directive 2002/96/EC on Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE). By ensuring this product is disposed of correctly, you will help prevent potential negative consequences for the environment and human health, which could otherwise be caused by inappropriate waste handling of this product.

The symbol on the product, or on the documents accompanying the product, the Crossed Out Wheelie Bin, indicates that this appliance may not be treated as household waste. Instead it shall be handed over to the applicable collection point for the recycling of electrical and electronic equipment.

Disposal must be carried out in accordance with local environmental regulations for waste disposal. For more detailed information about treatment, recovery and recycling of this product, please contact your local authority, your household waste disposal service or the retailer where you purchased the product.



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